# Thomas "John" Nelson—U.S. Representative—Alaska Republican Party Primary Candidate

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**Age:** 53

Place of Birth: Anchorage

Spouse's Name: Dawn

Children's Name(s): Emily, Melissa, Jesse

Occupation: Diamond Willow Financial, Owner, Financial Advisor

Length of Residency in Alaska: 53 Years

#### Alaskan Communities Lived in:

Anchorage 1964 to 1978, Wasilla 1978 to 1981 Anchorage 1982 to 1985 Chugiak 1985 to 2017 Wasilla 2017 to Present

#### **Education:**

Service, Wasilla, Konawaena High (Hawaii) Anchorage Community College Industry specific training

**Political and Government Positions:** I am not a politician, but rather a Statesman for all Alaskans.

#### **Business and Professional Positions:**

Self Employed from 1986 to present Financial Advisor, Securities Licenses 6,7,63,66 Accredited Portfolio Management Advisor (APMA)

#### **Service Organization(s) Membership:**

Past Rotarian, Palmer and Eagle River
Chugiak High School Football Booster, board, volunteer
Mirror Lake Middle School Band & Orchestra Booster, former president
Chugiak Youth Sports Association, former president, coach
Alaska Miners Association, member
SAR (Sons of the American Revolution), member
NRA, member

#### **Special Interests:**

Gold Mining, Fishing (Recreational and subsistence fishing), Hunting Taekwondo and Hapkido Beekeeping

#### Other:

Civil Air Patrol Cadet in High School Volunteer to teach Financial Education to various organizations

#### **Position Statement:**

My Name is Thomas "John" Nelson, my friends call me John.

I was born and raised in Alaska and I am a product of the 1964 Earthquake. My grandparents moved to Alaska in 1948 and settled in Anchorage. My wife's Grandparents homesteaded in Willow in 1960.

Dawn and I were married in 1987, started our first business together, settled in Chugiak for 30 years where we raised our 3 children, we became empty-nesters last year and moved to Wasilla.

As a Financial Advisor, my knowledge and expertise in the financial services industry will serve all Alaskans in Washington.

Alaskan Seniors on a fixed income are faced with a choice between food or prescription drugs because Social Security and Medicare Trust Funds are set to run out of money beginning in 2026.

Healthcare and Medical Insurance continue to be a major issue for many Alaskans. Our Nation is \$21 Trillion dollars in debt. Congress holds the purse strings and must act now to pass a fiscally responsible budget.

Restoring law and order in Washington is my highest priority. Our country was founded on the principles of the Constitution. We need to stop Federal overreach and restore State Sovereignty to Alaska while preserving the Alaska Native Culture and Heritage for future generations.

Alaska needs bold new leadership. I will work on these and other important issues for Alaska in Washington D.C.

I am honored to have your support. Send me to Washington to represent all Alaskans.

## Your friend,

### T. John Nelson

